

campaign. It is a pleasure to think in this presence that we are going to stand in the campaign shoulder to shoulder, with the full support of the Republican party (Applause).

Mr. Taft here went directly to a political argument, in which he said that the real issue of the campaign was whether the voters of the country would give their endorsement to the new policies and the deeds of the Republicans, or turn to the Democratic party, with its untried promises.

Senator Foraker speaks.

After a most glowing endorsement of Judge Taft by Bishop Samuel Taylor, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, Chicago, Senator Foraker was introduced, and he received with decided cordiality. He began by scoring the press to the extent of saying that there came near being a tragedy during the first ten minutes of its duration, because the newspaper correspondents were preparing dispatches announcing "the confirmation of the feud and the feeling of the excitement between Judge Taft and myself." He continued:

"Under the circumstances, I hope I may be pardoned if I say here in his presence—the first time I have had opportunity to say it—how glad I am to be so far from home, and to have the slightest feeling of any kind between Judge Taft and myself." (Cheers and applause.) "And if there had been, you could not lose me that night." (Laughter.) "I claim beyond another, it is that I am a Republican three hundred and sixty-five days in the year."

"I have my preferences some times as to who should receive the nomination, but I have no objection to the nomination of Judge Taft to be the Republican candidate for the presidency this year, that instant he became my choice. He has been a better man since, and he will be my leader until the polls close on the night of election."

Senator Foraker then turned to the issue of the administration of public affairs in this country shall be turned over to the Democratic party. When the Chicago convention nominated Judge Taft to be the Republican candidate for the presidency this year, that instant he became my choice. He has been a better man since, and he will be my leader until the polls close on the night of election."

Mr. Foraker followed this discussion with an estimate of Judge Taft's fitness for the office he seeks.

"His experience on the bench, in the Philippines, as Secretary of War, in the construction of the Panama Canal, in all the positions he had filled, has been such as to qualify Judge Taft almost beyond any other man for the presidency. (Applause.) We are going to elect him, and if he does not make a success of it, it will be his own fault."

When it was planned.

That the Republican candidate for President and the party's candidate for the Senate from Ohio are politically together is not only the public admission of both Taft and Foraker, but is the policy of the party.

Senator Foraker is an avowed candidate for the United States Senate to succeed himself, and his services in the national campaign have been sought by National Chairman Hitchcock, and the Senator has promised to take the stump.

At a dinner given here last night by Charles T. Lewis there were present Senator Foraker, General Henry C. Corbin and Representative William H. Keifer, of Ohio. This dinner resulted in an invitation to Senator Foraker to remain in this city to-day and attend only the review of the parade of the G. A. R. in the stand with Judge Taft, but also the reception to be given later by the Lincoln Republican Club.

## BOBBY VAIL SHOWS UP FINE AND DANDY

Concerning Bobby Vail's debut in big league ball, the Pittsburgh Leader has the following account:

"Bobby Vail, the Pirates' pitching recruit, looks like a good bet. The youngsters made his debut yesterday after the Philadelphia sluggers had sent Vic Willis to the tall and lofty with a couple of bases and had gotten plenty of hits. Bobby Vail, who was thrown by Thomas and Abby, then Vail took the center of the diamond, and while that three-run lead of the opposition was some comfort to the home team, still the new comer had everything to gain and nothing to lose. The fans naturally were deeply interested, and there was no occasion for disappointment when Vail got into the box. Bobby Vail, who was thrown by Thomas and Abby, then Vail took the center of the diamond, and while that three-run lead of the opposition was some comfort to the home team, still the new comer had everything to gain and nothing to lose. The fans naturally were deeply interested, and there was no occasion for disappointment when Vail got into the box."

As previously mentioned, the Virginia heaver looks good. Stockily constructed, and with a free and easy manner of delivery, he is a player of the roundhouse variety, but has a sharp and deceptive break. The youngsters of the plate are best evidenced in that there were only three Quaker batsmen on as many as three balls were called.

One of the trio, Knabe, in the eighth, drew a pass, the only deadhead ticket issued by Vail. He had a good delivery, but was fooled, and failed to get out of the way of a sharp shot. The recruit got out of his hole cleverly.

There are no more to be seen of good at bat as this newcomer, Vail stands up and uses rare judgment in picking out good balls to hit at. On his first trip to the mound, he pitched a beauty, single to center. Vail assumes a position on the rubber suggestive of a server of moist flings, but he sent up few spitballs and as long as he can get away with his well-controlled speeder, nicely mixed in with a sharp knuckleball, he will probably be dispensed with.

"Bobby Vail looks like a smooth heaver."

Vail hits from the outside of the plate and uses his nose in picking out good balls to strike at. The youngster is the coolest proposition that ever broke in here."

## TITLE QUESTIONED

Three Company Begins Suit Against Gordon Metal Company for Possession.

Suit was instituted in the City Circuit Court yesterday, last, by the Three Company (Inc.) against the Gordon Metal Company for a strip of land lying at the end of Allen Avenue and as long as the case in question. The case will be continued.

The action is for the strip of land fronting on the roadway leading from Fourteenth Street to the Richmond and of Mayes. The title between the two companies is the subject of the suit.

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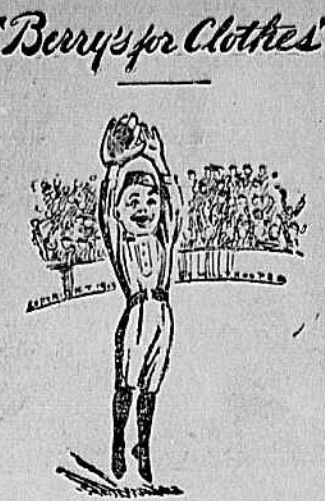
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"The secret of success in life is for a man to be ready for his opportunity when it comes."—Disraeli—AND CATCH IT.

"Now is your opportunity. \$28 suits at a lower price than ever before offered for clothing of such high grade. Your choice to-day for only \$17.75."

"These suits are in the new shades and stylish patterns."

"The cut is right up to the minute and you'll be pleased with the fit."

O.H. Berne & Co. MEN & BOYS' OUTFITTERS

## PITIFUL STORY OF SORROW AND WANT

Man Out of Work Cannot Support Family of Ill Children.

Telling a story of the most abject poverty and suffering, a man describing himself as a laborer, walked into the local offices of the Associated Charities yesterday, and giving way to his sorrow, sat and pitifully wept while asking the representatives of that institution to take charge of his family and himself.

He declared that though he had tried and tried again he was no longer able to support his children, and as a last resource he was obliged to call upon the city's charity to sustain him. When questioned by representatives of the association, the man stated that since last November, when his wife died, leaving eight children, ranging from the ages of one to eighteen, he had been out of work, and that though he had tried, he was unable to procure a place. Since a month after his wife's death, the man explained, until a short while ago, he had been able to support his family, but now he was stricken with typhoid fever, and at some times two had been down at the same time with the "deadly disease. All of the man's accumulated savings had been expended in the care of his children, and without the aid of the mother, he felt absolutely at a loss.

Then, as a last resort, he applied at the Associated Charities for succor. His case was fully investigated, and was found to be true in every particular.

While no names were given out, an officer said yesterday that it was one of the most pitiful cases he had seen under the notice of the association this year. The man bore fine recommendation, stating that he did not drink and that he was thoroughly honest.

The officers of the Charities are of the opinion that this is one of the most deserving cases that has come under their notice for some time, and a concentrated effort will be made to get the man and his family located on some farm.

## GET ALLEGED SWINDLER.

B. F. Howell, said to be Fake Employment Agent, Finally Caught in Charlottesville.

B. F. Howell, who is alleged to have passed himself off here as an employment agent, and to have secured several jobs by fraudulent schemes, has been arrested in Charlottesville, and Detective Sergeant McMahon left yesterday to bring him back to Richmond for trial.

Howell was arrested on a warrant sworn out by the police department, who alleged to have paid with a worthless check. He was trailed by Detective McMahon, who finally caught him.

## WANT MORE EVIDENCE.

Four Negro Boys Held on Charge of Stealing Quantity of Lead Pipe.

Joseph Jones, Emmet Kemp, James Johnson, and two other colored boys, were in the Police Court yesterday morning on a charge of stealing lead pipe from a residence in the city. They had been arrested previously and held on suspicion. The cases were continued to September 4th in order to allow the police to procure further evidence against the alleged culprits.

## THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Virginia—Fair Thursday; cooler in east and central portions; Friday fair; light to fresh northwest winds. North Carolina: Fair and slightly cooler Thursday; Friday fair, light north winds.

Conditions Yesterday: S. A. M. 69. Humidity 77. Wind, direction, force, SW. Wind velocity 10. Rainfall 0.02. 12 noon temperature 82. 3 P. M. temperature 87. Maximum temperature up to 5 P. M. 87. Minimum temperature up to 5 P. M. 61. Mean temperature 74.9. Normal temperature 74.9. Excess in temperature since March 1st 22. Accum. deficiency in temperature since March 1st 22. Excess in rainfall since March 1st 9.51. Accum. excess in rainfall since January 1st 11.29.

## CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

(At 8 P. M., Eastern Standard Time.)  
Place. Ther. H.T. Weather.  
Albany 79 78 Clear  
Augusta 84 90 Clear  
Atlanta 80 88 Clear  
Buffalo 64 66 Rain  
Chicago 73 75 Clear  
Cincinnati 72 80 Clear  
Cleveland 68 72 Clear  
Detroit 62 64 Clear  
Hatteras 74 80 Clear  
Jacksonville 80 90 Clear  
Kansas City 78 82 P. cloudy  
New Orleans 80 88 Rain  
Oklahoma City 78 80 Clear  
Pittsburg 60 74 Clear  
Raleigh 78 84 Clear  
St. Louis 78 84 Clear  
Tampa 80 80 Clear  
Washington 72 86 P. cloudy  
Wilmington 78 88 Clear  
Yellowstone 68 74 Clear

## MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sun rises 5:42. High tide 9:41. Sun sets 6:37. Morning 9:41. Moon sets 11:54. Evening 10:18.

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State Association for Protection of Birds Proposes Vigorous Measures.

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The subcommittee is made up of the following: Homer S. Cummings, Connecticut; John W. McGraw, New York; George W. Greene, Rhode Island; J. F. C. Talbot, Maryland; Willard Saulsbury, Delaware; James Kerr, Pennsylvania; John G. Delany, New York; John B. Stangfield, New York; Thomas H. Johnson, Ohio; John Fox, New York; R. B. Carey, Connecticut; John Quinn, New York; E. G. S. Miller, New York; Governor Higgins, Rhode Island; Jefferson Levy, New York; Arthur H. Brown, New York; Frank Brown, Maryland; Johnston Cornish, New Jersey; and Herman Ridder, New York.

Vice-Chairman Hudspeth has been prominent in New Jersey politics for many years, and has received the term in the State Assembly, where he was elected Speaker for one term, and two terms in the State Senate. Mr. Hudspeth resigned to-day the chairmanship of the Democratic State Committee.

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North Carolina team by about 600 points. Last year North Carolina had the best of Virginia by 100 points, and the members of the Tar Heel team this year were very much disgruntled over the fact that they did not stand as well as the Old Dominion marksmen.

## MURPHY WINS FROM CROSS

NEW YORK, September 2.—"Harlem Tommy" Murphy tonight won from Leach Cross in a six-round bout. One of the greatest crowds to attend a prize fight since the repeal of the Horton law was present at the Navarre Athletic Club, in Union Park, to-night.

It was Tommy Murphy, one of the best fighters of his weight in the East, had the better of a six-round battle with his former sparring partner, Leach Cross. The fight was a slashing one, and it was not until the seventh round that the fight was over.

Under the rules no decision was rendered, but it was perfectly evident that Murphy was the superior. There are those who believe, however, that had the fight gone on for another round, Cross would have defeated Murphy, for Cross was gaining strength and aggressiveness with each round, and Murphy was weakening.

The fighters weighed in at 133 pounds, and Cross was made favorite in the betting. There were over 5,000 fight fans present, and in the crowd were seen the faces of many old-time enthusiasts who have not attended any of the local fights for many months.

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